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CITRUS AVENUE, SOUTH OF CAR LINE

Four Covina People In Auto Collision

A crazily-driven automobile, weaving in and out across the boulevard between Puente and El Monte, struck the automobile driven by William L. Griffiths of Covina Wednesday night about 8 o'clock, injuring three persons and completely wrecking the Griffiths' big Oakland forty.

Mr. Griffiths, who was driving, had his wife with him, and Harold M. Seitz, a young Covina rancher, and Miss Sue Beville of Covina. The automobile that struck them was driven by Mr. Hockett of the cement contracting firm of Hockett & Green, both men being in the machine at the time. The young men have a cement yard at Puente and another near El Monte.

Griffiths, with the passengers in the big Oakland, were on their way to Pasadena to fill a social engagement. When they were nearing the Bassett station of the Southern Pacific, they saw the headlight of a badly dodging and wobbling car coming towards them. Sometimes it was far on the right hand side, and then it would shoot across the boulevard. Griffiths said that he had seen automobiles act that way before in funny motion pictures, but never before in real life.

In order to give the crazy driver every show in the world to get by without accident, Griffiths pulled his machine far over into the grass and weeds of the gutter, and slowed down until he was just moving. It seemed, however, that the approaching machine was governed by an unlucky jinx, because it kept to the right hand side of the road while it approached the car, and just as it got almost opposite of Griffiths, the driver suddenly turned his wheel, and the car shot across the road, striking the Griffiths car just back of the middle of the body.

The impact threw the big Oakland forty completely over on its side, while the machine driven by the cement contractors, which was a small runabout, turned over upside down. Mrs. Griffiths and Miss Beville were both thrown through the air, and fell heavily by the side of the road. Griffiths and Seitz were also thrown clear of the machine, but unlike the women, were able to save themselves when falling, and escaped with only a few bruises. Both women were very badly bruised and lacerated.

The accident had been witnessed by C. A. Hammond of Glendora, who was driving a big touring car in the rear of the cement contractors. Hammond said that the runabout had been keeping clear over on the right hand side of the road all the way down from the "long bridge," as the men in it seemed to realize that they might hit somebody. Hammond brought the Griffiths party to the Griffiths home in Covina, and Dr. R. Manning Clarke was called. Dr. Clarke found both women badly contused and suffering from a nervous shock. He thought that there were indications that Miss Beville had been injured internally.

Mr. Griffiths said yesterday that Hockett had called on him at his home here, and had offered to do anything in his power to make amends for the unfortunate accident. Griffiths car is in the Covina garage, with one hind wheel torn off and all the spokes out, a ruined transmission, wrenched body, and with the whole machine in a badly battered condition.

BROADED OPENS GARAGE FOR OVERLAND MACHINE.

George D. Broaded, well known to drivers and owners of the Overland car as agent for this automobile in El Monte, Covina and Puente, has opened a garage on Citrus avenue near the Hotel Vendome, in the place made vacant by the moving of the Studebaker agency to the corner of Citrus avenue and San Bernardino road. The Overland garage will be in one of the best locations in the city.

Broaded is no stranger here, as many of the Covina ranchers and business men are driving Overlands that Broaded sold them. He will be personally in charge of the garage next week, and will fit up a repair shop for the repairing of Overlands. An Overland thirty is on exhibition at the garage this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor and Irvin Reynolds spent Friday with friends at Gardena.

Wonderful Choir Heard at Endeavor Meeting

A great choir of voices, seated before an enormous throng of people, was the inspiring sight witnessed by Covina people last night, when the great Christian Endeavor convention carried out the program of its musical evening. This great chorus has been in process of training in sections all over the United States, and Musical Director Foster put them together at the last moment in Los Angeles, with surprising results. They sang some of the heavy Gounod numbers, and selections from Rossini's "Stabat Mater." They also led the congregation in some of the thunderous old hymns, like "Faith of Our Fathers," and "A mighty Fortress Is Our God."

The following young people from the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Presbyterian church will receive the degree of Christian Endeavor Expert and the C. E. E. pin on next Monday evening: Ada Blanchard, Leroy Blanchard, Everett Blanchard, Grace Fisher, Cora McKirahan, H. H. Church, Luella Roberts, Curtis Sherwood and Wm. Colver.

CONDENSED PROGRAMME.

The following condensation of the complicated programme of the convention will enable interested persons to keep track of it by events rather than by days. All open to the public except the night meetings.

IN THE BIG TENT.

Saturday—2:30, junior rally. Evening—Convention session with noted speakers and music by the chorus.

Sunday—9 a. m., evangelistic meeting, Billy Sunday; 2:30, men's meeting, led by Dr. Clark; 7:45, great meeting [illegible] ing, led by Dr. Clarke; 9 a. m., foreign speakers, 12 to 1, California union election; 2:45, a great meeting on the home, the church and the school; 7:30, farewell meeting, when Dr. J. Whitcomb Broucher will speak for the ministers of the city, and Dr. Clarke will give his last word.

TEMPLE AUDITORIUM.

Saturday—Dr. Clark and Dr. John Balcom Shaw; Saturday night, Billy Sunday. Sunday afternoon, 2:30, women's meeting; Sunday night, Dr. Hugh K. Walker, presiding and addresses by Rev. Claud E. Hill of Indiana. Monday, 12 to 1, Billy Sunday.

C. E. INSTITUTE.

Christian Endeavor Institute, 9 to 11 each morning. The section meeting in the First Congregational church, led by Rev. Charles M. Sheldon, of Kansas, is for ministers and workers.

For bible study in First Presbyterian church, led by Dr. John Balcom Shaw.

For missions, in the First Baptist church, led by A. L. Phillips of Richmond, Va.

On C. E. efficiency, in First M. E. church, led by Karl Lehman of Boston.

On junior work, in First Christian church, led by Rev. George F. Kengott.

On social purity, in First English Lutheran church, for boys, led by Rev. E. A. King of Washington; Thursday and Friday only.

State Secretaries, conference, Christ Episcopal church, Thursday only.

State treasurers and finance committees, Swedish Evangelical church, Thursday; prison work, Friday; Rural church problems, Saturday.

Quiet hour, First United Presbyterian church, with different leader each day.

Tenth legion, at Y.M.C.A.; Thursday; boys' clubs, Saturday; Veterans' Association banquet, Friday evening, 5 to 7.

Social purity for girls, Y.M.C.A., Saturday only, Mrs. J. S. Norvell, leader.

Secretary Shaw's meeting for all workers, Berean Hall, Saturday only.

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NEW PUMPING PLANT STARTED YESTERDAY GIVES COVINA RANCHERS 180 INCHES

A group of men could not have been more pleased if they had discovered deposits of gold in the sand, than were the ranchers of the Contract Water Company yesterday, when they started the new pump near the mouth of the San Gabriel canyon, and found that they had a flow of 180 miner's inches.

The new water supply is in truth a veritable gold mine to the ranchers. The plant, including cost of land, well, pump, motor and pump-house, cost the ranchers a little under $10,000, while the 180 inches of water, reckoned at the value of water per inch in this valley, makes the plant worth many times what is cost.

The Contract Water Company is one of the oldest of the original companies in the valley. In 1886, the company supplying the Covina users with water, began to carry water through the old Covina ditch to the ranchers in the vicinity of Grand avenue, Azusa avenue, and San Bernardino road, but it was not until 1896 that a contract was formally drawn up, by which the Covina Irrigating Company brought this water down to these ranches. The membership of the Contract Water Company covers land that is widely scattered over Azusa and Covina, and represents in all 1405 acres. Quite a large portion of the water goes on to land in the lower valley, for instance, the ranches of Herman Headley, Robert Headley, and the land where now stands the station and property of the Southern Pacific railroad in Covina.

The new well has been built in order to stand as an insurance of water in the summer for this company. Just as the various irrigating companies [illegible] during the driest months of the year, the Contract Water Company has seen fit to guarantee themselves sufficient water during the months of July, August and September.

Land was purchased of A. L. Bierbower, in the desert about three-quarters of a mile south of the mouth of the San Gabriel river, above the city of Azusa. A well was put down to the depth of 237 feet. The water now stands at eighty feet below the surface. The drillers struck water at 97 feet.

With the completion of the well a Layne & Bowler turbine pump, with 125 feet of plunger and sixteen inches in size, was installed, and this was connected with a Westinghouse electric motor, with power derived from the power house at the mouth of the canyon.

When the pump was started yesterday morning, the ranchers discovered that they had a fine stream. The soil indications showed that the water lay in a gravel strata, of more than usually loose formation. The whole desert has been formed of the gravel thrown up by the river which flows close by, and the water being obtained is practically the sunken water from the San Gabriel river. Water experts say that the desert around the mouth of the canyon is merely a top covering for a lake of water in loose gravel.

The water will be pumped with the same machinery that lifts it from the ground, to a point on a mesa about a mile distant, where it will be forced into a big conduit of the Covina Irrigating Company. The connection between the pump and the conduit will be through a sixteen-inch steel pipe. The pipe-line is not yet completed.

The present board of directors of the company is composed of J. L. Motter, president; H. S. Rogers, secretary; Forest Manning, vice-president; John Coolman and Charles Menefee. This is Mr. Coolman's first year as a member of the board. He was placed there against his own wish at the last annual meeting, at which time he assured the stockholders [illegible] coming year. He was elected by the largest vote ever given to a director in the company, and this new well is in line with the work which he outlined.

The company within the past week has held a meeting and the capital stock has been increased from the original $7,000 to $24,000. The striking of an abundance of water in this desert land is said to be the forerunner of the putting down of a number of wells on this property.

WATER PURITY IS CHIEF AIM IN ROOFING RESERVOIR FOR COVINA DOMESTIC SUPPLY

With 28,000 square feet of roofing just completed over the reservoir of the Covina City Water Company on San Bernardino road, one of the problems of keeping water in its purest form has been solved. Incidentally, some new discoveries, made of late, in the matter of impounding water for domestic purposes, have been applied to the new work.

The work has been done at what is known as the lower reservoir, situated a few rods west of the big irrigating reservoir, and is a reinforced concrete tank that holds 2,500,000 gallons. The upper reservoir on East Cypress avenue in Charter Oak, has been supplying the city with water during the last six months, and in the meantime the lower reservoir has undergone complete renovation.

In the first place the inside of the walls has been treated with a hard wash called cementcote, which leaves the sides as smooth as the inside of a gun-barrel. This was a work that consumed a good deal of time and was costly. It renders it impossible for fungus-growth of any kind to cling to the sides, and all leaves and trash that might get in through the screens is easily cleaned away. A new discovery in the question of impounding water is that the inflow pipe can be made to aerate the water if it is stuck up in the air like a smoke-stack instead of being a straight feeder from the bottom. The water sprays and cascades from the mouth of the high pipe, falling through the air, and carries the air with it into the still water, making it much purer. This, however, is a precaution which is scarcely necessary with the finely-aerated San Gabriel river water, but it has been installed in order to make everything about the reservoir as modern as possible.

The new roof rests about fourteen inches from the top of the rim of the reservoir, and is perfectly flat, with small spaces between each board on the top, in order to allow streaks of sunlight to penetrate the water. The sunlight goes down to the bottom of the water. The fourteen inches around the rim of the tank is screened in with a fine-mesh wire. Water engineers now say that there must be plenty of air circulating above a body of still water of this kind. For this reason this space has been allowed. And they also maintain that there must be some sunlight, although not enough to cause fungus growth to form on the water in the summer. The roof is supported on 126 iron standards, three inches in diameter.

Around the reservoir has been built a tight Page wire fence, to keep everything out. Barb wire is strung at the top. The work has all been done under the direction of Superintendent John H. Coolman. A number of improvements and repairs have also been made at the upper reservoir.

It was a merry crowd of young people and their parents who went to Ganesha park on Tuesday, comprising the members of Holy Trinity Episcopal church Sunday-school. The day was spent beneath the shade of these beautiful park trees, and the children enjoyed the wading pools and swings all during the long and pleasant day. The party returned on the evening train shortly after 5 o'clock.

BIRTHS.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lampher on Friday, July 4th, twin boys.

To Mr. and Mrs. Fordyce A. Wilson, Wednesday, July 2, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Arntfield, on Thursday, July 3, a daughter.

Miss Muriel Sherwood is spending the week at the Broadwell home.

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POTATO SHIPMENTS NOW GOING FORWARD FROM PROSPEROUS BALDWIN PARK RANCHES

As you go into Los Angeles from Covina these days, take notice of the long line of box cars on the siding of the Southern Pacific at Baldwin Park. They are being loaded with potatoes.

Two years ago, one man, whose name is J. Chevelier, made a net profit of $30,000 out of potatoes on 110 acres of land. There were plenty of cases that year where men who had a much smaller number of acres in potatoes, made enough to pay for their land and the improvements of small cottage houses and buildings. Not so much money was made in potatoes the year following, but it has been demonstrated that potato-growing in Baldwin Park is a big thing. This year, the San Gabriel Valley Potato Growers' Association will take 150 carloads of potatoes from Baldwin Park alone, to say nothing of the potatoes growing south of this place, which will be sent out, a good many of them over the main line of the Southern Pacific at Puente.

WHAT MADE IT POSSIBLE?

This same land used to grow about six sacks of wheat to the acre, under dry farming methods. There was a time, not seven years ago, when one store and several small houses was all there was of Baldwin Park, and the sparsely-growing grain and hay surrounded those buildings as far as the eye could see or imagine, across the "Lucky" Baldwin plains.

But a few adventurous spirits discovered that water could be raised with the machinery which was just at that time being invented for deep-well pumping. They found that the centrifugal and the turbine, would lift the water from the great, subterranean lake that lay in the gravel strata all under that immense grain ranch. A few wells were put down, and a patch of green resulted, a veritable oasis in a land of burnt umber colors, of browning grasses, and spirals of wind-blown dust. The land changed as if under a magician's wand. The wizard was man, and the wand was water.

Today, when you are sitting in some man's office in this thriving little community of Baldwin Park, you may hear something that sounds as if half a dozen clocks were ticking in the next room. If you are an old-timer you will know that this sound is the regular exhaust from gas engines, perhaps a mile away across the potato fields, gas engines that work steadily and all alone, through the long, warm days, raising the life-blood of the land to run between the rows of potatoes, to flood the alfalfa, to soak the earth for ten feet down around the orange and deciduous trees, to rejuvenate the hundreds of acres of strawberries, to ripen the sweet potatoes, to give life to the fig-tree and the vine, to bring along the young Mexican avocado trees, and, in fact—to make this great, sun-flooded plain a paradise of green and growing things—waving, luxuriant alfalfa that the eye rests upon gratefully, and the whole wonderful transformation that is possible everywhere in the valley where King Water comes in and takes command.

Raising water to the surface of the ground, is the whole story of the beginning of success. The land is light, of a sandy-loam nature, and it grows readily anything that grows elsewhere in California, if you get the water on it. Seven years ago there were a half-dozen wells in the community, most of these being wells for domestic purposes. Today there are two hundred wells where irrigating water is being pumped, and these wells are producing anywhere from twenty-five California miner's inches, up to 350 miner's inches. The great Covina Irrigating Company battery of wells, reservoir and steam plant, where 600 miner's inches is being taken from two wells—this plant is within a half-mile of the Baldwin Park post office. And the Walker well that supplies the community with domestic water, and the Kauffman well that raises water for a cooperative company of ranchers, are wells of the typical kind that makes just the difference between success and failure, between poverty and profit. On the south of Baldwin Park is another great water-lifting plant, the La Puente Cooperative Water Company, pumping 900 California miner's inches and watering a large portion of the acreage growing potatoes, and alfalfa. It also waters the big tract of four thousand acres of young English walnuts, a mile south of Baldwin Park, that are eight years old now, and just beginning to show profits to the rancher. This is destined to be one of the finest English walnut districts in the world.

COUNTRY AND COMMUNITY.

First, the country was made profitable for the raising of citrus, deciduous fruits and vegetables—then came the flourishing little community that is bisected by one of the county boulevards of crushed rock and macadam, and also by the Pacific Electric railroad out of Los Angeles.

From a place where there was one store and several small dwelling houses, the community of Baldwin Park has grown to contain the largest department store in the upper San Gabriel valley, operated by F. H. McDonald; also a thriving, busy cash store, whose proprietor is C. L. Hollingsworth; two meat markets, a restaurant, lumber yard, hay, feed and fuel business, garage, drug store, cement pipe works, racket store, barber shop, big social and dancing auditorium and roof garden.

In the case of Mr. Hollingsworth, we find a man who not only runs his cash store with profit to himself and the community, but he is the owner of good farming property, and is a progressive citizen with an eye single to the building up of the town. F. H. McDonald, the department store proprietor, has three teams busy all the time putting out his goods through the farming country, and strangers are invariably surprised at the big volume of business that goes out of his store.

Then there is Dr. J. Locher, a recent comer, who has been made president of the Chamber of Commerce. He has fitted up a beautiful little drug store, with cherry-colored booths and furniture. He has a marble fountain for his soda business that would be a credit to any city. Dr. Locher is a progressive, hustling citizen, owning a large amount of farming and fruit property in the vicinity, and he is taking an interest in the growth of the community.

There are two more men who have had much to do with the success of this community. W. A. Horton and W. R. Johnson, who are partners in the real estate business, have brought many a new family into the new farming territory. Both have served very efficiently on the school board, and may look with some satisfaction on the fact that the community, with the past two years, has built under bond issue, a $16,000 reinforced concrete grammar school building, as modern in every way as can be found in the state. This building was dedicated last spring, with many prominent educators of the county present, and is a building whose handsome architecture invariably brings favorable comment from the people passing through on the electric cars.

THE MAN WITH THE IDEA.

D. J. Shultis has been the indefatigable worker and leader in this community from the very first. Shultis is the "father of the town," as some call him, although a comparatively young man. The belief he has had in the future of this country around Baldwin Park has been something that he has dreamed of nights and talked of day times for ten years or more. He is beginning to see his dreams fulfilled. He owns the largest building in the community, a big reinforced concrete auditorium building, which houses the big department store and post office on the first floor, and which has the largest and finest hall on the second floor of any between Pomona and Pasadena. A part of the second floor is given up to offices for professional men, and the most unique feature of the building is the roof-garden, which looks out above the entire valley, where the people now hold their social entertainments. The young people come from all the surrounding towns to enjoy the monthly dances which Mr. Shultis runs in his big hall, and the proprietor has proven one thing to everyone's satisfaction, which is that a clean and thoroughly enjoyable dance can be run, without a single objectionable feature being introduced. Mr. Shultis is strict

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about his dances, and his patrons are glad of it. He says that he hasn't time to investigate the morality of the "turkey trot," and "pivoting on the corner," and doesn't know whether such dancing is harmful or not, so he has just cut it out on general suspicion. The young people are glad of the opportunity of enjoying the beautiful roof garden between dances, where a caterer serves ice cream and light lunches. This roof garden is distinctly the unique feature of Baldwin Park.

THE EGG PRODUCERS.

After one has enumerated the things which come from the soil, there must be something said about the big chicken ranches. These pay as well as general farming, if in the right hands. Raising chickens and eggs, whether in Baldwin Park or Petaluma, calls for an intelligence that means success if rightly applied. It has been said that almost every grown person in this country has had at one time a notion that he could raise chickens or run a newspaper. But, in the case of raising chickens, it certainly takes brains to make a success of it. We have seen a chicken ranch at Baldwin Park, where the owner, C. Win Perkins, stamps his name on every egg that goes out of his place, and these eggs are practically all eaten in the grill room of the Hotel Alexandria, in Los Angeles. Perkins is a painstaking man, who himself was once a hotel man. He has a thousand hens on five acres of ground, and a pretty home, all the work of his own intensive efforts.

Then there is Henry Laige, with two and one-half acres and 2,000 fowls, running ten 600-egg incubators in the hatching season. He ships day-old chicks as far away as New Mexico and Arizona. Another big chicken-raiser just started, is C. E. Parliam, on the boulevard. He recently put two carloads of lumber alone into the making of his brooder houses. He bought the old Stewart ranch of ten acres, and has stocked it with chickens to the extent that he is probably the largest single producer in the locality. Across from him, in the same business, is Mrs. F. O. Frazier, who in the strictest sense of the word, is a chicken fancier. She raises high-grade, fancy fowls of all kinds, and gets the top prices for the settings in the markets all over Southern California. Her home is full of blue, red and white ribbons that her chicks have brought home from the poultry shows.

This last poultry ranch is run in conjunction with Mr. Frazier's ranch and dairy, where there are sixty pure-bred Jersey and Guernsey cattle. The milk and cream is all bottled at the ranch with the exception of the milk that is shipped in large containers to one of the hospitals in Los Angeles. Mr. Frazier is a crank on sanitation, and a visit to his ranch is always an agreeable surprise.

As one merchant told the writer the other day—Baldwin Park is the hope fulfilled for the man and woman of modest means, and the man with big capital has just as much a chance as anywhere in the state. But the feature of the locality is the fact that a man can get a start with less than a thousand dollars. Of course, the more money he has, the better off he is, but he can start with less than a thousand dollars and make good in Baldwin Park. It cannot be done in the older communities of the valley.

Which leads us to one last remark—there is only one San Gabriel valley in the world. Only one valley with its incomparable sunshine, its abundance of water, its beautiful winters, and its thousands of acres of citrus and deciduous fruits. And in Baldwin Park, which is the geographical center of the San Gabriel valley, we find many thousands of acres still waiting for the people who want a home. It is less than five miles from Duarte, the finest citrus district in the state; less than five miles from Covina, another famous citrus district; less than five miles from El Monte, a far-famed walnut section.

CITY OF THE SIXTH CLASS.

One evening this week, a group of ranchers and business men, who have formed the Baldwin Park Chamber of Commerce, got together and discussed the advisability of incorporating as a city of the sixth class. They have population enough, and they begin to see the desirability of incorporation. When people in a community like Baldwin Park begin to talk, the thing they are talking about will soon be put into practice.

One old resident in Covina said not long ago, "It's too bad all the good citrus property has been planted out in this valley." This same man said the same thing twenty years ago, when there were less than a thousand acres planted to citrus fruits in the valley. He has watched many thousands of acres being planted all around him, and is still making the same old complaint. Baldwin Park is the new citrus territory. Go up there and see the L. A. Murphy grove in bearing, and watch the ranchers that are putting out young trees. Remember the old story about the man who hunted for four-leaf clover. Do you recollect where he found it?

Mrs. Gorda Speer Dies at Home of Daughters

A slight accident, which occurred to her while working in her garden, caused an abdominal trouble to set in, which resulted in the death of Mrs. Gorda Speer, one of the pioneer women of the Covina valley. Her death occurred on Monday at the apartments of her two daughters, Miss Alberta and Miss Mamie Speer, 1282 West Twenty-Third street, Los Angeles.

Mrs. Speer was living upon ten acres of oranges on North Cypress avenue. She came here, with her children on May 5, 1885, and settled on a ranch at the corner of Barranca and Badillo streets, which was then owned by W. H. Souther. Besides the children already mentioned, there is a son, E. E. Speer of Glendora, and one child that died in infancy.

Mrs. Speer was a lifelong member of the church, having affiliated with the Christian church. She was a woman who will be remembered for many years here for her benevolent and beautiful character, and for her devotion to her children and her friends.

The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Glendora, Rev. Robert Grieve and Rev. Rodger Clark officiating. Many of the old residents of the valley were in attendance.

Church News

Church of the Sacred Heart, Catholic—Mass at 8:00 a.m. in new edifice at Fifth and Center strets. Rev. M. H. Geary, pastor.

Services in the Church of the Holy Trinity: Eighth Sunday after Trinity: Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 9:45 a. m.; Morning Prayer, 11 a. m.; subject, "The Smiting of the Rock."

Christian Science Society of Covina holds services Sunday at 11 a. m., in the Woman's Club House, Citrus avenue and Center street; subject, "Sacrament." Sunday-school at 9:45 a. m.

Presbyterian Church: C. D. Williamson, D.D., pastor. Services every Sabbath as follows: 9:45 a.m., Sabbath-school; 11:00 a.m., morning worship; 6:30 p.m., Christian Endeavor; 7:30 p. m. This church extends a cordial invitation to all.

Brethren church; Rev. George Chemberlen, pastor. Sunday-school at 10 a. m.; F. L. Hepner, superintendent; preaching at 11 a. m.; W. F. England of Lordsburg, speaker. A special educational meeting. Evening at 6:45; subject, "A Pleasant Journey"; Miss Ida Fesler, leader; sermon at 7:30. Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 7:45; subject, "Builders For Christ." A place for you.

Evangelical Lutheran, St. John's church, U. A. C. Rev. Paul Scherf, pastor. Sunday morning at 9 o'clock, announcing for communion; 9:30, confession; scripture lesson, Ps. 32:1-2; theme, "Why are Those to be Called Happy, which Have Forgiveness of their Sins?" 10:00 o'clock, regular service; confirmation; scripture lesson, Rev. 2:10; theme, "Be Thou Faithful unto Death, and I will give Thee a Crown of Life." Holy Communion.

First Baptist church; W. W. Catherwood, pastor. Church Second street, near College. Sunday-school at 9:45; Prof. Healy, superintendent; preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m.; subject, "What You See in the Clouds." Young people attend Christian Endeavor convention. Union evangelical service at M. E. church. Union prayer meeting Wednesday evening at Methodist church. The people's church. You are welcome.

First Methodist church; Sunday-school at 9:45; R. T. Chew, Jr., superintendent. Public worship at 11 a. m.; subject of sermon by the pastor, "The Sixth City of Refuge—Golan (meaning 'exile')". Special music. Epworth League at 6:45; R. T. Chew, Jr., leader; subject, "The Distressed on Our Jerico Road." Union services at our church at 7:45. Union prayer meeting also at this church. Rev. Stafford will be the preacher for this evening.

Christian church; D. F. Stafford, pastor. Church services at 11 a. m.; subject, "Risen with Christ." Sunday-school at 9:45 a. m.; lesson, "Moses Prepares for Work"; Christian Endeavor at 6:45 p. m.; topic, "Speak Not Evil One of Another"; leader, Miss Catherine Van der Vort; union meeting in the Methodist church at 7:45 p. m.; subject, "Christianity Transformation not Conformity." Union prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:45.

WATER RIGHTS.

The lucid and common sense decision of Railroad Commissioner Thelen should go far towards settling the use and distribution of irrigation water. Perhaps the most striking thing about the decision is the elementary question dealt with—that the company must furnish the water it contracted to furnish, should not assume obligations that it is physically unable to fulfill and must undertake a ratable distribution of the water under its contract, says the Fresno Republican. Purely aside, but striking none the less, was the ethical observation of suing for water not supplied.

It has been the custom to assume that private business is best capable of conducting its own affairs, that government supervision is interference, and yet here is a great big business that permitted its essential function, distributing water under contractal obligations, virtually to run itself. The commissioner found that there was practically no system to water distribution, and promised to prepare for the company a set of rules for remedying this situation.

In striking contrast with the judicial system is the commission system, as illustrated by numerous past and present court proceedings and Commissioner Thelen's decision. The courts have dealt with individual cases, as in their nature they have had to, and have got nowhere. The commission dealt with a situation as a whole and arrives at a general remedy. This, too, after a few days' hearing.

Now that the railroad commission has settled the question of the distribution of water it remains for the water commission to settle the question of rights. While this is a bigger and more complicated question, its approach by a commission in the same businesslike and common-sense manner will go far toward determining claims now dragging their weary way in the courts of the San Joaquin valley.

The Misses E. M. Smith and M. E. Baker of Long Beach are guests at the home of the former's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Soule of San Bernardino road. The young ladies are enjoying a very pleasant time.

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You Know It and We Know It.

Several discussions have reached us, prompted by the editorial in the Argus last week dealing with the attitude of the Los Angeles banks toward the rancher. One business man said that we could not hope to get money from the Los Angeles banks when our securities were not good, or they thought they were not good, which is the same thing.

This brings us to remark that the Los Angeles banks are of no use to the citrus rancher except when he doesn't need them. When he has plenty of money the Los Angeles bankers send men out here to make loans on ranches. When the rancher has lost his crop, as was the case last year, the banks not only will not loan more money, but they want what they have already loaned, and want it right away.

Now, if all the money, or even fifty per cent of the money, earned through raising oranges was spent in the Covina valley, instead of in Los Angeles, we would never have to ask a Los Angeles bank for a loan on a citrus orchard. We would never suffer the humiliation of being turned down. Our own business houses would be doing a big business with your money; the banks in Covina would be big and strong banks, handling all this money that the business men are turning over to them, and when a poor year comes, the local banks would be in a position to give the necessary aid.

In other words, if every resident in this locality would buy his clothes, shoes, groceries, millinery and dress-goods in this city instead of in Los Angeles, we would have a million dollar department store here; we would have big clothing stores; we would have big banks, and the rancher could get anything he wanted in the way of money right at home.

As it is, Los Angeles gets the biggest share of the money from the citrus orchards, and refuses to give any of it back.

Our Neighbors—Watch Them Grow!

In a booklet recently issued by the Baldwin Park Chamber of Commerce, it says that two hundred wells have been put down in that vicinity for irrigating purposes during the last three years. These wells are all the way from small domestic wells to a battery run by giant steam engines, pumping 600 inches for irrigating water.

This paper can never get away from the subject of the wonderful water development in the upper San Gabriel valley. You who live here, among the activities of the valley, perhaps do not stop to check up the strides that have been made. It has only been six years since the most of the five thousand acres on the southwest of Covina was subdivided and put into walnuts and alfalfa, yet the change is nothing short of marvelous. And in six years, the village of Baldwin Park has changed from one store and a few houses, to a thriving community surrounded by some of the richest farm land in the state.

In The Name of Christ.

The whole of the Christian world has been in sympathy with the Bulgarians in their fight with "the unspeakable Turk." That's because the Bulgarians are professors of the Christian religion, in the nominal sense.

But the Bulgarians are now butchering whole villages of women and children, leaving the Almighty God aghast at the awful work. It simply goes to prove that our sympathies are very often misplaced, because we don't know facts. Two-thirds of the opinions of the world are founded on an utter and complete lack of knowledge of real conditions. After these awful atrocities, we are forced to speak of the Bulgarian as the "unspeakable Bulgarian."

Christianity has murdered, raped and plundered the helpless ever since Christ died, and did it in the name of Christ. It can't be that Christ thinks very highly of a people that has repeatedly borrowed his name to spread unthinkable horrors through the world.

The Phonograph and the Picture Show.

In Covina, when a laborer of the orchards, a carpenter, a brickmason, or a clerk in a store goes home, he steps into a modest little cottage, with a lawn in front, and a few chickens in a corral in the back yard. He has a bath-tub, and uses it, and after supper, starts up the phonograph, playing a half-hundred fifty-cent records, running the gamut from "Trail of the Lonesome Pine," to "My Jesus I Love You," "Somewhere We'll Understand," and "That Mendelssohn Rag." He sits and smokes and changes his records, and finally goes to bed. One night in the week he may take the folks to the picture show.

In the big city he would be obliged to live in a dark, dirty and cheap apartment, with a warehouse within three feet of the windows of his home. He comes home and gulps his supper, and goes out to the more congenial atmosphere of the saloon or the pool room. He has to live where he can get work, of course, but what an arraignment this condition is against society, and how foolish it is to talk of uplifting the submerged tenth until we drain off the filthiness that is submerging them!

GREAT WAR DRAMA IS SHOWN AT ISIS THEATER.

"The Grim Toll of War" was a motion picture film shown at the Isis theater last night, that is one of the Kalem spectacular features in two reels, with a great amount of real excitement in it. It is a story of love and intrigue in the Civil War, with many of the battle scenes taken on the original battlefields.

The Edison company has turned out a very laughable film in what is called "After the Welsh Rarebit." It tells the story of a man's dream after eating heartily of this dainty. He sees fiends out of the infernal regions, who come and roast him over a hot furnace, and he has other startling experiences. "Bunny," the famous motion picture fat man, contributes a very funny picture in "Hubby Buys A Baby." The same program is shown tonight. Mr. Merwin is arranging for an especially good program for the coming week.

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Misses Celo Potter and Hazel Potter were members of an auto party of fourteen, who spent the greater part of last week visiting at the Maribou ranch in the mountains.

BOY SCOUT MEETING WILL BE HELD TUESDAY NIGHT.

A meeting of the Boy Scouts will be held in the high school auditorium on Tuesday evening at 7:45 o'clock. The officers have prepared a program which they wish the boys to hear, and there will also be a discussion of further plans for the summer.

TWO COVINA RANCHES CHANGE OWNERSHIP THIS WEEK.

F. E. Lamberton of Pasadena, who owned ten acres of navels, valencias and lemons just east of the Dolge property on Puente street, has sold the ranch to G. E. Roscoe, a Los Angeles business man.

Mr. Roscoe was in Covina yesterday making arrangements for a number of improvements. It is his intention to build a handsome home on the property some time during the summer.

Ten acres at the corner of Lark Ellen street and Cypress avenue, belonging to Mrs. Francis G. Burke, was sold this week to G. L. Bush of Los Angeles, who is moving into the residence on the property.

Mrs. W. W. Nash entertained the Embroidery Club Friday afternoon at her home on San Bernardino road. A very pleasant time was spent.

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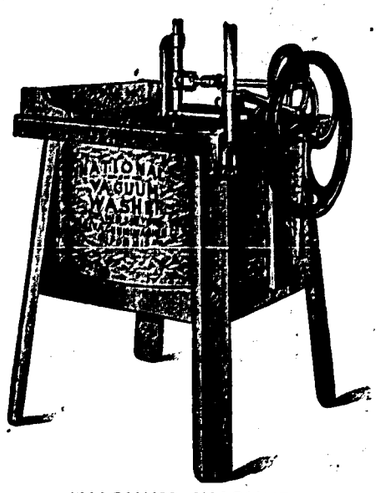

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COVINA IRRIGATING PUMPING PLANT HAS CAPACITY OF TWELVE HUNDRED INCHES

A daylight shift is being run steadily at the big Baldwin Park pumping plant of the Covina Irrigating Company, raising about 300 inches of water, steady flow. For the past month, the new well, which is the second unit of this plant, has been placed in operation, and according to engineer F. D. Philleo, is working like a charm. The necessity for the taking up of slack in a new belt caused him to shift from the new well to the one that has been in operation for over a year, and he shut down the pumps on the new well this week for this purpose. But he says that when the ranchers are ready for the entire flow from the plant, he will be ready on a moment's notice to start both wells and pump over 600 inches. The plant can be operated both day and night, which will mean a flow of 1,200 inches during the time when the gravity water from the San Gabriel canyon is at its lowest.

The new well is situated about one hundred feet south of the first one. As has been described before, it has a deep-well caisson ninety feet deep and eight feet in diameter, built of reinforced concrete. This enormous bore, if erected like a stand-pipe on top of the ground, would be the most conspicuous object in the entire valley. At the bottom of the caisson rests a Byron Jackson deep-well centrifugal pump, one of the most powerful water-lifters ever made for irrigation. The pump is operated with a Murray Corliss engine. The other well is operated with a Byron Jackson deep-well turbine, with a Nardberg engine. A booster pump takes the water from the reservoir after it has been brought up by the well pumps, and this booster sends it through a thirty-six inch pipe-line of steel for four miles across the valley, through the city of Covina, to the thirteen million gallon reservoir on San Bernardino road.

The Byron Jackson company is busy at the big plant, putting on a new head on the turbine pump, in order to increase its efficiency. This pump has run for a year with splendid results, and has brought up over 300 inches, but the company believes that even better work can be done by the installation of their new pump-head.

THE RESERVOIR BOOSTER.

At the big San Bernardino reservoir, the irrigating company is installing a small booster pump, which will again life the water from this place to a large acreage which lies above the reservoir. The land above this reservoir, which comprises more than one third of the land served by the Covina Irrigating Company, will then get its portion of the pump water from the Baldwin Park plant. Last year, while the new plant at Baldwin Park was pumping night and day, the lower part of the district was over a month ahead in irrigation over the land above the reservoir.

The booster pump at the reservoir will rest about eight feet below the level of the water when the reservoir is full, and will be housed in a cement box ten by fifteen feet in dimensions. This house is all built, and is ready for the machinery, which is expected to arrive within a few days. By the time that the flow from the San Gabriel river becomes small, the booster plant will be in full operation. With the two pumps working at Baldwin Park, there is no danger but that the ranchers will get plenty of water this year. As a matter of fact, the single well at Baldwin Park helped out so materially last year with its 300 inches that the ranchers did not feel pinched for water in the lower district. With the booster pump installed, the ranchers in the vicinity of Grand, Cienega and Cypress avenues will also get a portion of this water.

Delft initial paper and cards at the Covina Book Store.

Mrs. A. A. Davis, Miss Harriett Davis, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Peters and son spent a week at Ocean Park.

Mrs. A. O. Eliason of St. Paul, Minn., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Peters.

Rob. Gerhart left last Tuesday for San Francisco, where he will visit a couple of weeks before leaving for Honolulu, where he expects to spend a year.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Overholtzer, Silas and Geo. Overholtzer, Mrs. Snider and son, Donald, will start Tuesday for a trip in the northern part of the state.

Little Francis Wright, infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wright, has been very ill this week, threatened with brain fever. The child is much better now.

The Holy Trinity Guild of the Episcopal church will give a farce, "The Teeth of a Gift-Horse," after which there will be an informal dance on Wednesday evening at the club house.

S. P. Cook of Front street has accepted a position as foreman on the E. R. Coffman ranch on San Bernardino road, and will move his family to the property on the 22nd.

Mrs. J. N. Wilson and sister, Dr. Hilton, of Chicago, have returned from a ten days' visit at San Diego. Dr. Hilton is now in Los Angeles spending a few days.

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Hamilton Orchard Heater Co. Claims So-Called Dunn Down Draft Orchard Heater Under Letters Patent Granted James L. Hamilton, February 4, 1913

Wheeling, W. Va., July 1, 1913.

To Whom It May Concern:

Our attention has been directed to a circular, dated June 16, 1913, issued by John Martin and E. W. Dunn, calling attention to certain letters patent issued June 3, 1913, to said Dunn for an Orchard Heater, and in which it is stated that the down draft air feed for the liquid fuel container is "covered broadly" by said patent, and that "anyone making use of a down draft air feed in connection with the liquid fuel container of an Orchard Heater infringes the claims of the said letters patent."

Not only does the Dunn patent fail to broadly cover ALL down draft air feeds, as is indicated in said circular, but it fails to cover, broadly or otherwise, ANY down draft air feed except it be employed in combination with elements not found in the "Hamilton" Orchard Heater. Further, the particular down draft feed shown in the Dunn patent is the invention of our Mr. James L. Hamilton, and, since the same was not original with said Dunn, the latter omitted from his patent application, claims directed to this feature. Furthermore, our attorney advises us that NO Orchard Heater which does not include a cover having a gas vent or opening smaller in area than the transverse area of the collar about which the stack is fitted, will infringe the Dunn patent.

We not only deny that the "Hamilton" Orchard Heater infringes the Dunn patent, but we charge that the Dunn Orchard Heaters is a direct infringement on our prior patent No. 1,051,884, issued February 4, 1913, to James L. Hamilton; and we hereby give notice that we will enforce the rights secured to us by said patent to any extent which may be necessary to the complete protection of our interests.

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Mrs. Emma P. Rice is spending the month at Long Beach.

Miss Avery of Los Angeles will be the guest of Mrs. James Bonham for a couple of weeks.

Miss Leisel Leighton has returned from a camping trip, which was very pleasant.

Mr. P. Green of Fullerton is visiting his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Kellar.

Mr. and Mrs. Scodill will spend Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Galenus Morris.

Dr. Lewis Thorpe and family are occupying their summer cottage at Balboa.

Mr. Walter Carson has been spending a few days with his aunt, Mrs. B. W. Mitchell.

Miss Crete King returned Friday morning from Oberlin, where she has been attending school the past year.

Mrs. W. P. Nye and Carroll are in Los Angeles attending the C. E. convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Miller and family and Miss Julia Bashore motored to Venice Thursday and spent the day.

Mrs. G. D. Jennings and daughter, Caroline, have gone to Oakland to spend several weeks with her mother, Mrs. Plant.

Misses Louise and Ivy Kohlmeier spent last week with friends at Balboa. Miss Laura Kohlmeier is at Balboa beach this week.

See Reeves Eason at the Alumni Vaudeville, Friday the 18th, at the high school. Also many other fine numbers on the bill.

"Bill" Wilson, Earl Philleo and Celo Potter in a comedy sketch, "A King for a Night," at the Alumni Vaudeville.

Mrs. C. A. Leighton entertained with an informal dinner Saturday evening. Afterwards the evening was spent in playing cards and music.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Leighton and family helped to celebrate the eighty-fourth birthday of the former's mother in Los Angeles, Wednesday evening, at a dinner party.

Mr. Paul Young, soloist, playing classic and popular numebrs at the Alumni Vaudeville, this alone is worth the admission price of 35c, grammar school children 25c.

Arthur and Dorothy Cox are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Galenus Morris, Charter Oak, and one of them is unfortunate enough to be having the mumps.

Mr. H. P. Baker, an old and honored citizen, has been stricken down with apoplexy and lies at his home on San Bernardino road in a helpless condition.

Mrs. W. Gammiell, who went to Camp Baldy to spend the summer, returned this week on account of the illness of her little daughter. They expect to return to camp as soom as the daughter is able.

Mr. R. L. Jones of Cypress avenue, who spent four months in Richmond, Va., attending to business affairs, has returned home. His daughter, Mrs. Powell, and husband, of Richmond, Va., also Mrs. McCartney, her aunt, came with him.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McConnell have been attending the C. E. convention in Los Angeles this week.

The Stardard Bearers of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. Katherine Traweek Saturday afternoon to enjoy a social time.

Allison Given returned Thursday morning from Catalina, where he has been camping with the boys brigade of Pomona. He entered six different exents in the track meet and won first in all six. This is a very good showing for Covina high school athletics.

Mrs. Holt and Miss Edwards together with eight girls met at the home of Mrs. J. L. Matthews to organize their Campfire Society. The girls present were: Myrtle Daniels, Gertrude Nash, Hazel Potter, Marie Nelson, Mildred Bonham, Irene Ryan, Dana Goodnight, and Lucile Matthews.

Mrs. J. A. Ennis, who spent the winter in Europe and who has been seriously ill at her old home in Hastings, Minn., is now recovering and will soon be able to return to Covina.

The recent arrivals from Covina at Strain's Camp are as follows: Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Bryan, Dorothy Bryan, Robert Stebbins, Gladys Sherwood, Rosita Kerckhoff, Ralph Smith.

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Mrs. Charles Fingerle left Friday for Manhattan Beach, where she will spend a week with friends.

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Misses Daisy Rice and Barbara Jones of Los Angeles were the week-end guests of the former's sister, Mrs Will Thorne.

Mr. C. Eazrham of Los Angeles and Mr. Shaffer of Philadelphia were guests Saturday at the Jones home on N. Citrus avenue.

Miss Mildred Bleecker is spending the week in Los Angeles with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. George Adams.

The W.C.T.U. and Irwindale Miscellany Club held a picnic Friday at the home of Mrs. Elston on South Irwindale avenue.

Jack Clarke has returned from Riverside, where he has been visiting his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sherwood.

Mrs. Bowman is expecting her sister, Mrs. Huntoon, from Colton, who will spend a few days and then go to Los Angeles for the summer.

Dr. French of Cedar Rapids visited at the home of old friends, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Berry of Badillo street on Monday.

The Alumni Vaudeville. The best vaudeville ever given in Covina. Come and see the "Old Grads" perform at the high school the 18th. Seats on sale at Nash's.

A party composed of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Coltrin and children and Mr. and Mrs. Bailey enjoyed a picnic in the Walnut Wash last Sunday.

F. H. Fabrick, Covina, carries the Sunset irrigation gates and valves. Best on the market. Call for demonstration before purchasing elsewhere. tf

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Scofield entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Marie Scofield of Council Bluffs, Iowa, and Mr. and Mrs. Bailey of Fullerton.

Rev. and Mrs. Stafford entertained at dinner Sunday Miss Anna Frazier of Watsonville, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Johnson and little daughter, Wanderlee, of Ontario, and Mrs. M. G. Clugg and son of Pomona.

Miss Ella Walters of San Bernardino road entertained with a house party this week. The young ladies enjoyed a very pleasant time playing tennis and other out-door games during the day. Those present were Marion Warren, Dorothy Bixby, Ildra Cashley, Louise Norton and Dorothy Van der Vort.

A party of young folks, composed of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, Misses Jo and Tressie Eason, Miss Byrd Reynolds and Messrs. Howard Douglas, Irven Reynolds and Carl Shirley motored to the new home of Elsberry Reynolds, north of Lordsburg, Sunday, and spent the afternoon and evening. Swimming in the plunge was enjoyed by the entire party.

The Fill-A-Gap, Philathea and Baraca classes of the Baptist Sunday-school met at the home of Mrs. Oscar Miller on East Puente street, Tuesday evening for their regular monthly meeting and social time. The evening was spent with games on the lawn, and ice cream, cake and other dainties were served. There were about thirty present.

Mr. Rogers of N. First street, who has been staying near Cold Brook camp in an effort to regain his health, has returned to Covina, and while he and his wife both speak in the highest terms of the beauty of the resort, and the kindness shown them by the camp proprietors, yet Mr. Rogers does not feel that his health has in any way improved. On Monday his daughter, Edna, was taken to the Los Angeles hospital to undergo an operation. She is reported improving.

Am pleased to announce the opening of a dental office at Los Angeles Fellowship Farm, located between Lark Ellen and Puente. Am prepared to perform modern dentistry. Arrangements have been made whereby mothers can bring their children with them. Office hours, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., every Monday, Tuesday, Friday and Saturday. Under extreme necessity appointments can be made outside of these hours. Very sincerely.

7-13 Dr. Kate D. Buck.

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"Rexall"
Drug and Stationery Store

Miss Harriett Coman is visiting in Ontario.

Miss Ruth Bowman is visiting her sister in San Bernardino.

Mrs. C. W. Coman spent the week-end in La Canada.

Mr. Irwin Shupp and Gordon Douglas spent the Fourth at Weber's Camp.

Miss Lydia Graves of Redlands is visiting Miss Luella Roberts of Double avenue.

Willet Babcock of Riverside is visiting at the Gail home on Navilla Place.

Miss Carrie Holly of Los Angeles is visiting at the home of her brother, A. I. Holly of Badillo street.

Miss Hazel Clifford spent two or three days with her cousin, Miss Angela Brown of Tropico.

Miss Grace Chapman returned Monday from Lexington, Ky., where she has been attending Hamilton college the past year.

Miss Martha Van Vliet, who has been clerking at Brawley, has returned to Covina for the summer to escape the very hot weather there.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Taylor, Miss Tressie Eason and Mr. Iiven Reynolds left yesterday for a few days at Catalina.

Miss Ethel Holly has taken the place of Miss Tressie Eason as society reporter and bookkeeper in the Argus office.

Miss Richmond came Monday to spend some time with Mrs. I. I. Cook.

Mrs. Jinks is visiting her mother, Mrs. Cox, for a few days.

Mrs. H. H. Cushman entertained at dinner Tuesday night Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Warren, William and Lucy Warren and Mrs. Webster, sister of Mrs. Warren, of Goldfield.

Mrs. L. H. Root and daughter, Virginia, have gone to San Diego, where they will spend a greater part of the summer. Miss Cornelia Root is visiting in Pasadena.

The family of J. B. Eason removed this week from their place on Center street to their former home at Monrovia. The Misses Jo and Tressie Eason and Messrs. Walter and Reaves have been very popular among the Covina young people during their residence here, and their removal is regretted.

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WHILE YOU WAIT

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Evans Vegetable Gardens
Corner Glendora and Bonita Avenue,
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MEDICAL MEN WITHDRAW ADVERTISEMENTS BECAUSE ARGUS PRINTS PAID AD OF THE CHIROPRACTOR.

Thompson, the Chiropractor, Regrets the Position Taken By The Medical Men.

THOMPSON'S STATEMENT.

I regret the position taken by the medical men of Covina in this matter. I have always tried to treat the medical profession with the courtesy due practitioners of medicine, and shall continue to do so, although differing from them as to the cause and removal of disease, and though using an absolutely non-therapeutical method. I see no reason for animosity and believe that each man should be accorded the privilege of having the cause of his abnormal condition removed in any manner he may choose.

I greatly regret being the cause of the loss of advertising to the Argus, but do not see how they could refuse me the use of their advertising columns to tell their readers of the value of Chiropractic, and at the same time carry the ads of men who use drug methods.

I wish to assure the readers of the Argus that there is no professional jealousy on my part, and that I have no feeling in the matter whatever.

I have always thought that there was a field for Chiropractic outside the practice of medicine and that it reached a line of cases that medicine did not relieve; this, however, I wish to leave to the judgment of those who know something of the relative merits of the two sciences. 1t

Mr. A. M. Pence, who returned last week from the Good Samaritan hospital, is doing very well and has been able to sit up the last few days.

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Santa Fe Back East Excursion Tickets are on sale many days in July—August and September with liberal return limit and stopover privileges. These tickets are strictly first-class and are good on any of our several overland trains. Santa Fe is the middle or direct route East Would be glad to make up itinerary for you and arrange all details of your trip.

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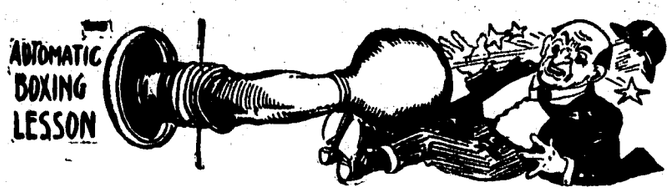

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In Ranch Khaki

$1.25 Khaki Pants for $1.09
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New, peg-top styles in whip-cord and khaki, in olive-green, brown, light brown and dark brown.

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Brown, striped, gray and black. Prices 35c and 43c.

Balbriggan undershirts, regular $1.00 grades, for 89c.
Two-piece bals for 39c each.
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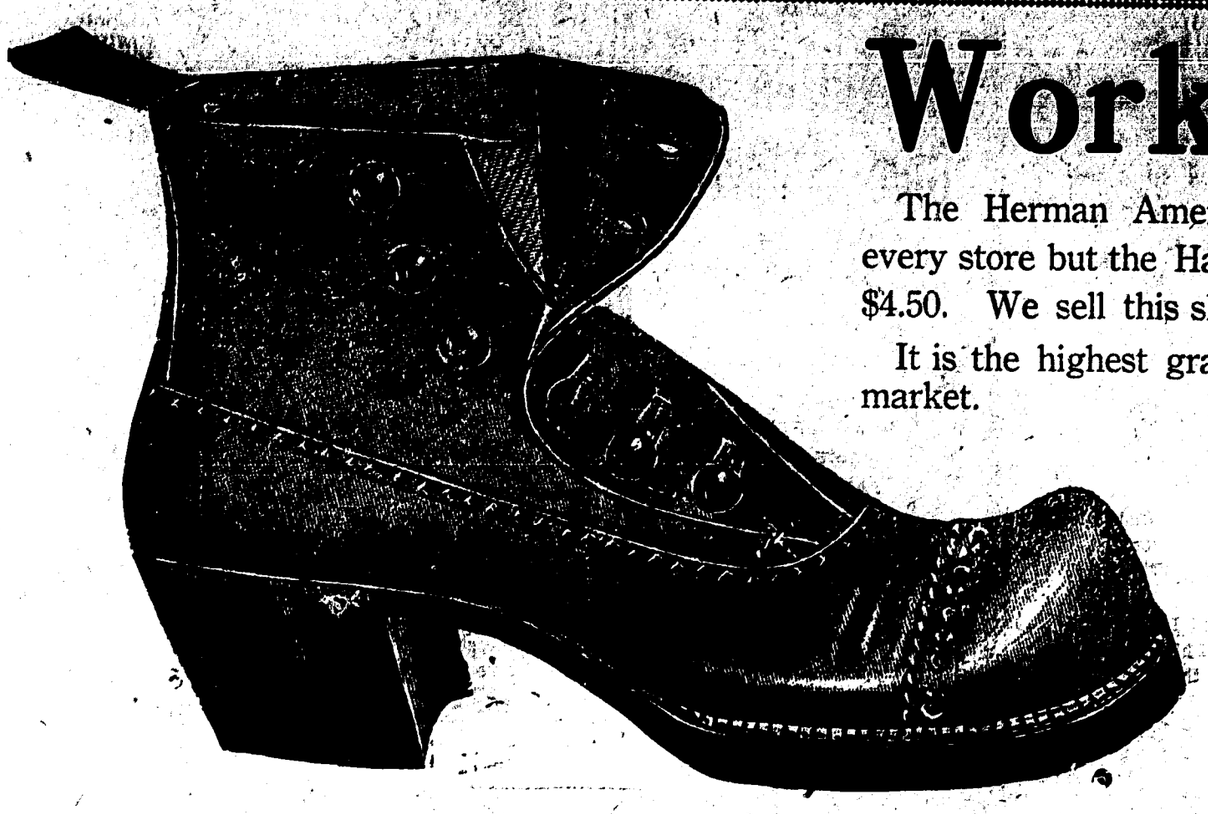

Work Shoes

The Herman American Army Shoe always sells in every store but the Hays store, for $4.50. We sell this shoe for **$4.00**

It is the highest grade, best-made ranch shoe on the market.

We have a crack-a-jack ranch shoe that retails for $3.00 elsewhere, which we are selling for **$2.59**

This shoe has a viscolized water-proof sole.

Boy Scout Shoes for $1.85. Other stores sell them for $2.00 and $2.50.

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Next to Isis Theatre — Citrus Avenue, Covina

Studebaker Garage Has Fine Location

Agency for Medium Priced Car Has Good Location—Speed Cop Hurts Auto Business.

Selling Studebaker cars seems to come easy to Smith & Johnson of the local agency. Two new cars have just gone out of the garage at the corner of Citrus avenue and San Bernardino road, one a thirty-five, for A. Hummel of Azusa, who is a valencia orange grower just outside that city, and the other was sold to Walter Netzley of Glendora, a twenty-five horse power.

The Studebaker agency has been the best business in the automobile line in this city. Studebakers seem to sell whether the ranchers lost their crop by frost or not.

"They have to have 'em," said Johnson yesterday, "because they are a utility car with beauty combined. A rancher, no matter how well he may be doing in the citrus business, has learned that the expensive cars are not at all necessary. He has learned that it costs something to keep one of these big cars, and that the one item of tires is enough to keep an ordinary man broke. That's why they are coming to us for the medium-priced Studebaker."

The local agency has two other cars ordered for Covina ranchers, which will be delivered some time next week. The new garage, which is operated by Bryan & Smith, has just been completed, and is situated at the junction of the county boulevard and the city's finest asphalt street, Citrus avenue. The location is the best in the city for repair work and supplies, as the proprietors have already found out. Three repair men are at work all the time on cars of every make.

The garage has been equipped with a free-air apparatus in front of the building, where the driver can get air any time of the day or night, and one of the most modern of gasoline arrangements has also been fitted up out front. It is a convenient place for the automobilists going through on the boulevard from up Redlands way, on the road to Los Angeles. The automobile travel has increased by leaps and bounds since the boulevard was finished through Covina. There is only one bad feature that has come up lately, according to the agents for the Studebaker, and that is the fact that the city of Covina has a mistaken idea that the automobilists must be fined for exceeding the speed limit of the city on the strip of San Bernardino road inside the city. This, the garage owners say, is certainly very bad policy, and will hurt the city much more than it will help. The word has been given out by the Los Angeles Automobile Association for drivers to "go slow in Covina but don't stop in the town."

The new garage is one of the best-fitted in the valley, and the owners extend an invitation to every automobile driver to drop in and see the equipment.—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Welin and family of Olinda and Mrs. Frank BeSouza of Phoenix, both sisters of Mrs. Tower, are spending the week-end at the Tower home on Orange street.

Triple Installation of Affiliated Orders

It was a big triple installation that was held Monday evening in the lodge-rooms of the Odd Fellows on Citrus avenue, when the local Odd Fellows, the Encampment and the Rebekahs joined in the impressive ritual of inducting the new officers for the term into office.

The evening was a busy one, with a big membership present from all three lodges, and visitors from Glendora, Azusa, San Dimas and Charter Oak. District Deputy George E. Baes of "Old Baldy" Encampment, Ontario, together with a suite of officers, conducted the work of installing the Encampment officers; District Deputy Grand Master Frank Ohaver of Covina with a suite of officers, performed the similar ceremony for the lodge of Odd Fellows, and District Deputy President Mrs. Alice Burpee and suite placed the officers of the Rebekah lodge in position. After the work was over the people were all treated to a cooling refreshment of ice cream and cake.

On Wednesday night Mrs. Alice Burpee, together with Mrs. Harry Lewis, went to Pasadena, where they installed the officers of the Rebekah lodge of that city, and on the coming Monday night they will install officers for the lodge at Glendora. On this same evening Mr. Ohaver and suite will perform this work for the Glendora Odd Fellows.

The officers installed in the local lodges are as follows:

I.O.O.F., No. 362.—H. M. Friedman, P.G.; L. G. Daniels, NC.; John Loop, V.G.; George Simeonoff, warden; J. F. Ohaver, conductor; Walter Armel, R. S. to N. G.; Frank Bisbee, L. S. to N. G.; Otis Keeling, R. S. to V.G.; Tom Smith, L.S. to V.G.; H. M. Houser, R.S.S.; D. Wisemont, L.S.S.; Nels Mortensen, I.G.; Charles H. Kistler, O.G.

Covina Encampment, No. 102.—W. H. Meyers, C.P.; George Wren, H.P.; Ed Blanchard, S. W.; William Stewart, J.W.; H. M. Friedman, treasurer; S. L. Spencer, scribe; C. E. Blackman, trustee; G. W. Coolman, guide; R. M. Bowman, first watch; J. O. Houser, second watch; H. M. Houser, third watch; W. M. McKee, fourth watch; Otis Keeling, I. S.; Nels Mortensen, O.S.; C. H. Kistler, G. of T.; Otto Anderson, G. of T.

Covina Rebekah lodge, No. 235.—Mrs. Martha Hibsch, P. G.; Miss Ethel Houser, N.G.; Mrs. Ella Bonter, V.G.; Miss Maude Blackman, warder; Mrs. Nellie Bisbee, conductor; Mrs. Anna Willoughby, chaplain; Mrs. Katherine Coolman, R. S. to N. G.; Mrs. Emma Ohaver, L. S. to N. G.; Mrs. C. H. Kistler, R. S. to V. G; Mrs. Charles Glover, L. S. to V. G.; Mrs. S. L. Spencer, I. G.; Otis Keeling, O. G.

VAUDEVILLE ONE NIGHT ONLY.

The Aumni Vaudeville advertised for next Friday and Saturday nights, will be given Friday night only. Remember only one performance. Get your seats at Nash's for Friday night. Reserved seats 35c. Grammar school children 25c.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Wolfarth and daughter returned Wednesday from a week's stay at Redondo.

Covina Ball Team Joins Trolley League

What is to be known as the Southern California Trolley League in baseball has been formed, with a strong team representing Covina. The other teams will be known as the Torrance baseball team, San Gabriel, Hyde Park, Woods, El Monte and Roger's Park.

There will be fourteen games played during the season, seven at the grounds in Glendora and seven in the other localities. The first game will be between Covina and San Gabriel at the Glendora grounds tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock.

Baseball fans say that the teams are very evenly matched. Albert Vitt, who is managing the Covina team, says that he believes his line-up will place the Covina team near the top, if not at the top, at the end of the season.

As a starter of the enthusiasm, the Reach baseball store of Los Angeles has offered a fine silver cup to the winners of the season, and Dyas-Cline will give a fine pennant to the winner of second place. Dyas-Cline is also offering good prizes to the best batting average, the best base-runner and best fielder in any of the teams.

The managers of the teams have agreed that a forfeit of $10 will be paid by any team that fails to show up at a game scheduled.

BE CAREFUL OF YOUR FIRES WHILE IN THE HILLS.

Now that you are planning that camping trip in the mountains, just tuck away in your head a little remembrance of the forestry laws pertaining to fires. You can help the forestry service immensely by taking care of your own fire. Never leave a campfire without extinguishing it with water, and then covering it up with earth to be doubly sure. Never throw a cigar or cigarette "butt" down without trampling it into the earth and being sure that no spark remains. The same rule applies to knocking the ash out of your pipe. Never carelessly toss a match away after lighting your "smoke." Pinch out the fire, and do not throw away the match until it is absolutely dead.

A match carelessly thrown down as you pass along the trail may start a fire that will not only cause the destruction of thousands of dollars worth of timber, but by denuding the hillsides of brush and other vegetation that helps to hold and store the rainfall, may cause a disastrous shortage of water in the valley below, causing a loss that cannot be estimated.

Carelessness with fire is nothing more or less than criminal—especially in an arid or semi-arid country such as this, where every drop of water must be hoarded and conserved. In such a country, every tree, every bush, every tangle of vegetation on the watersheds is directly beneficiary to the dwellers in the valley below, and must be protected and conserved.

Be careful with your fires, your matches, your "smokes"—San Bernardino Index.

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Home Phone 47

DR. E. V. RICE
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Switches, transformations, pouffs, and chignons made of first quality cut hair. Combings made to your order. Dyeing of false hair. 5-31p

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Five dozen trimmed hats at a discount of 25 per cent.
Sun hats for 35c.
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Baby bonnets of fine embroidery, different sizes and over two dozen to choose from, 25c to $1.00.
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If you have a water-boiler that you have worked in conjunction with other fixtures, we can install a water-heater at the same time we put in the gas range, and the expense will be very nominal. You can heat a cupful of water or enough for a bath-tub, in fact whatever amount you want at the time.

We carry **Arc Lamps** for store lighting, and **Reflex Lamps** for the home.

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Mid-Summer Clearance Sale

ON LADIES' WASH DRESSES

Gingham Percale Galatea

ONE-QUARTER OFF

Every dress that we have in stock is offered for today and all next week for twenty-five cents off on every dollar spent. In other words, every time you spend a dollar for these wash dresses, we hand you back a quarter of it. We must have room for fall goods. All wash dresses that have been selling for 98c each to $2.98 each, will be sold at the above discount. You can buy the dresses much cheaper than you can make them.

Other timely offerings: Ladies' sleeveless vests in newest styles, from 10c to 50c. Ladies' mannish shirts with soft collars, 98c to $1.48.
For men: $1.35 khaki pants; now $1.15. Balbriggan undershirts, 25c, 50c, 75c.

Covina People's Store

News of the Valley

BALDWIN PARK.

Miss Hazel Power spent last week at home. She has returned to Los Angeles to take up her work in the summer school.

Luellan Wade, who has been very ill with typhoid fever in Los Angeles, is much better now.

Mrs. Smith and daughter were dinner guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Smith, in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Mershon spent a few days in Baldwin Park last week.

Mr. Wickland of San Pedro is visiting his sister, Mrs. Banta.

Dr. Locher, proprietor of the new drug store and ice cream parlor on the boulevard, has just donated an outfit to the baseball boys of the community, and is promoting games, to be played here on Sunday afternoons. Fred Harlow, who owns five acres just a few feet down the boulevard, has offered to allow the boys to play on these grounds. A baseball team has been organized, and games will be played each Sunday with teams around the valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Coltrin and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Edgar spent Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Shultis.

Mr. Bowles sold his 5-acre ranch to Mr. Gross of Los Angeles, who took possession last Monday.

Don't forget the dance at the Baldwin Park Woman's Club House, Saturday evening, July 19, benefit of the Club House fund.

Mrs. Lena Fleming of Fresno is visiting her mother, Mrs. McCorn.

Miss Essie Power left Monday for Bakersfield to join her parents who are there for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Edgar spent a few days at Catalina last week.

Mrs. Murphy and her mother, Mrs. Marsh, spent a few days at Long Beach last week.

IRWINDALE.

Paul Leebrick of Huntington Beach is spending some time at the home of E. R. Coffman.

Mr. Paul Leebrick and Miss Mae Coffman spent last Sunday with Miss Anna Summers of Pomona.

Mr. John Matney, who underwent a serious operation at the American hospital, is very much improved and will be able to be removed to his home in another week.

Mrs. Jessie Pendleton and family of Los Angeles is spending the week with Mrs. M. E. Zug.

Mrs. Norman Martin and daughter, Miss Alice King are spending the week in San Diego.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Sanders spent the Fourth at Ganesha Park.

Mr. W. C. Sanders and little son, spent Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Eckerman spent Sunday at Santa Monica.

Mr. A. P. Griffiths will give a stereopticon lecture, Thursday evening, July 18, at the Azusa city hall under the auspices of the Woman's club. Mr. Griffiths has one hundred and sixteen very interesting slides.

CHARTER OAK.

Miss Margery Misner of Pasadena is visiting at the home of Miss Dorothy Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Bryan took a party of young people to Mt. Wilson to spend the Fourth. They were: Misses Margery Misner, Rosita Kerckhoff, Dorothy Bryan and Gladys Sherwood, Robert Stebbins and Ralph Smith.

Mrs. O. T. Denny is spending a few days in Pasadena at the home of her sister, Mrs. Geo. Mallory.

WEST COVINA.

Miss Della King of Whittier is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. C. J. Hurst.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Stimson just returned from a trip to Elizabeth Lake, where they spent a very pleasant time.

A merry party will spend Sunday at Bay City. They are Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Stimson and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Watts and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Newton and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Sawyer and family, Mrs. T. P. Bunt and family and Mrs. Millie Watts and son of Compton.

Miss Jessie Corneer of Los Angeles is spending the week-end at the Van Der Lohe home.

POSTPONED UNTIL JULY 30TH.

The public meeting of the Woman's Missionary Societies set for July 17th is postponed to the 30th on account of the School of Missions and other July meetings of the various churches in the city or at the beaches. This meeting will be held on Wednesday, July 30th, at the Methodist church. The speakers from the various churces will be Mrs. Burns, Baptist; Mrs. Newlin, Christian; Mrs. Nye, Presbyterian; and Miss Maud Edwards, Methodist.

The topics discussed will be Home and Foreign Missions, including their history, conduct and reason for being with sketches of the oriental religions in comparison with Christianity.

Music will be interspersed, Mrs. Chew being in charge. Program in full will be announced later. Meeting from 11 a. m. to 4 p. m. All are invited.

The state railroad commission rendered a decision upon the complaint of the city of Inglewood against the Los Angeles railway company and the Los Angeles railway corporation. The commission orders a reduction in the rate between the city of Los Angeles and Inglewood from fifteen cents to ten cents, with transfer privileges and reduces the 30-ride commutation ticket to $1.50 without transfer privileges.

The city of Inglewood complained that it was descriminated against in that it did not receive as favorable single fare and family ticket rates as other communties similarly situated. The commission found that a state of discrimination did exist and orders the reduction.

Little Argus Want Ads—big results.

Social Events

National Endeavorers Here.

The geratest gathering of Christian Endeavorers this part of the country ever witnessed is in progress in Los Angeles, with the key to the city extended to the visiting thousands. On the first day, there were ten thousand who registered, coming from every state in the union, and from Canada. Every church of the faith that supports this great organization of Christian workers has sent its quota of delegates, and those attending from covina are as follows:

Christian church—Mrs. F. H. Beardsley, Miss Mildren Van der Vort, Miss Vernie Houser, Miss Illie Stanton, Mr. Ed Kellar.

Presbyterian church—Cora McKirahan, Ada Blanchard, Luella Roberts, Isola Johnson, Inez Smith, Ethel Fisher, Grace Fisher, Mrs. Shearer, Mrs. W. P. Nye, Mr. Hale, Will Colver, Boyd King, Curtis Sherwood, Roy Blanchard, Everett Blanchard, Frank Morris, Rev. C. D. Williamson, Harry Church.

Dancing and Farce Comedy.

The young people of Holy Trinity church will give another one of their delightful entertainments on Wednesday, July 16, in the Woman's Club House, at 8 p. m. The first part of the evening will be occupied with the amusing farce, "The Teeth of a Gift Horse." Dancing will begin at 9 o'clock. Admission, 35 cents; children under 12, 25 cents.

Mayors Dine Together.

Mayor and Mrs. C. S. Beardsley entertained Thursday noon at luncheon at their home on Badillo street, in honor of former mayor E. H. Layhee, Mrs. Lahee, and Miss Quick, all of Los Angeles. The other guests were Mrs. Caroline S. Thorne, Mrs. J. D. Reed, Mrs. B. L. Reynolds, Mrs. S. P. Jennison, Mrs. F. H. Fabrick, Mrs. E. G. Clapp, Mrs. Merton Griswold.

Wedgwood House Party.

The home of C. H. Wedgwood was a gay scene when a party of young people gathered in honor of Miss Isabelle McCarty of San Diego and Misses Katis Neale and Florence Butler of Kansas City, all of the "Naughty Marietta" company. Musical numbers were rendered by these young ladies, after which there was an informal dance. Those present were: Misses Keyes, Davis, Chambers, Williamson, Smith and Mrs. Shaw; Messrs. Grant Chapman, Carl Kohlmeier, William Wilson, Arthur Dalin, Martin McCarty, Ford, Donald Malick, Fabrick, Eric Anderson and Earl Jones.

In the New Greek Theater.

Coming on the heels of the great success of the college pageant in the Greek theater at Pomona college, are the Sunday afternoon religious services, being held at 5:30 o'clock in this glorious out-of-door temple. On the stage, beneath the live oaks, and facing an amphitheater that accomodates 4,000 people, some of the greatest divines on the Pacific coast are conducting vesper services.

The first of these services, on July 6, was held to an immense audience, with Rev. William Horace Day, pastor of the First Congregational church of Los Angeles, preaching. Tomorrow at 5:30 o'clock, Rev. Robert E. Meridith, D. D., of Pasadena, will preach. In connection with the preaching a large chorus choir leads the singing, and there are special musical numbers each week. On July 20, Rev. Harry Sloane Coffin of the Madison avenue Presbyterian church of New York, and professor in the Union Theological Seminary of New York, will be the speaker. Rev. Roy Campbell of the First Congregational church of Palo Alto, will preach on July 27. The drive to Claremont over the boulevards from Covina is a pleasant one.

University Asks Option on Covina Property

As a result of several meetings held lately by the representatives chosen from the various towns and communities of the upper San Gabriel valley, relating to the citrus and walnut experiment station which the University of California will place in Southern California, a pooling of interests will be made by these towns in an effort to concentrate the attention of the university regents on this portion of the valley.

Captain N. D. Mussey, president of the Covina Valley Farmers' Club, and P. J. Dreher, manager of the San Antonio Fruit Exchange at Pomona, have been selected by the committee to draw up separate applications for the upper San Gabriel valley, and these separate applications will be merged in one application to be presented to the regents.

In order that this application may be the most intelligent possible, Captain Mussey and Mr. Dreher both urge the owners of property in the localities interested to present claims to these gentlemen, stating every desirability of the lands presented, the amount of water, acreage and price. In this connection the university wishes to establish an option on the properties presented and the option will be for sixty days, or preferably for ninety days.

It is expected that several parcels of land will be offered in the Covina valley, and these lands should be thoroughly described and the data placed in the hands of Captain Mussey. The applications must be in the hands of the board of regents by the last of August.

ORANGE DESIRES CITRUS STATION.

The Commercial Club of Orange, composed of business men and orchardists, Thursday night started a campaign to get the state to locate the proposed new citrus fruit experimental station at that place. Every variety of oranges grown in California are grown there successfully, and lemons are a favorite orchard. The residents there believe the location is ideal for a citrus fruit station.

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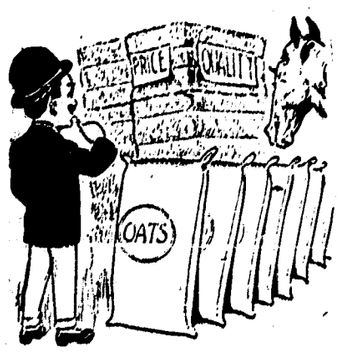

anything about the price of oats and other feed, but he certainly can tell the quality. If you don't think so try our oats and feed on him for a while. You'll not see him getting "off his feed" during the trial. You'll not have to dose him up with condition powders to make him eat. Just try it.

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FOR SALE—Land in one of the best alfalfa sections of the state; soil an alluvial deposit of sandy loam; practically level; abundance of cheap water, where 1,100 farmers are already settled; close to railroad; established schools and churches. The Summit Lake lands of Fresno county, the kingdom of Kings river. Price $125 per acre, one-quarter cash, balance in eight annual payments at 6 per cent. Water costs $1 per acre per year.
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FOR SALE—100-acre ranch, mostly river-bottom land, 1½ acres asparagus; 10 acres alfalfa; oat and barley crop on place; 6-room house; large barn and other out-buildings. Absolutely free water right. Would consider some good income property as part payment. Price, $225.00 per acre. Write P. O. Box 347, Corona, Cal.

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FOR SALE—Large lot in bearing orange trees, 50x175; north front. Center avenue, between Fourth and Fifth streets. Curbing, sidewalks and paved street, water, etc. Liberal discount for cash. Owner, 516 Chamber of Commerce, Los Angeles. A 5820, Main 1760. tf

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FOR SALE—Good clean barley hay. Twenty dollars per ton. H. Fastenau, corner of Willow and Francisquito streets, Walnut Center. 7-12-p

FOR SALE—Texas Red oat hay; see it on South 10 acres of Morris 60 acres on Puente Road. Dave Robinson, phone 307. 1tp

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WET SPRAYING—Swords & Taylor. tf

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FOR EXCHANGE—Valuable Porterville property for Covina realty. For further particulars see C. H. Patillo. Phone 885. tf

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STUBBORN INJURIES.

The painful accident which occurred to Mrs. C. E. Crawford two weeks ago, which has caused her to remain in bed since the injury, has developed complications that are stubborn in treatment. Mrs. Crawford injured her knee while at a picnic in the Walnut Wash. An x-ray picture was taken last week, and it was discovered that the bone of the leg had suffered a longitudinal fracture. Mrs. Crawford is obliged to lie in bed with heavy weights attached to her foot.

AMPHION MEETS.

At a meeting of the Amphion Society held last Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Collins at Charter Oak, A. M. Brown of Azusa was again chosen as president of the organization, and William Crook of Covina as secretary. Quite an earnest discussion was indulged in concerning the elimination of non-attending members from the society. It was felt that the society should be enlivened by making room for residents in the valley who will take a more active interest than some who are now non-residents, and who for other reasons do not attend the meetings.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edwards and son, Herbert, of Long Beach, and daughter, Mrs. Self, of Texas, spent the week at the home of J. C. Sanders.

The Needle Club had a wienie bake Friday evening in the wash north of Covina. About thirty people enjoyed the evening.

Closing out all millinery at Miss Sara Reckard's. All trimmed hats and flowers at half-price. 25 per cent. off on all baby caps.

About twenty-four members of the Christian Endeavor enjoyed a picnic at Fish canyon last Friday. They went on a hay wagon and had a lovely day.

Miss Illie Stanton attended the C. E. meetings Thursday.

Miss Emma Anderson, bookkeeper in the First National bank, leaves on Wednesday for a two-weeks' stay at Coronado.

Mrs. H. A. Eye, sister of Mrs. Ray Webb, arrived Wednesday from Mountain View near San Francisco, to be the guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Webb of Badillo street, and other old friends of her husband.

Mrs. C. D. Williamson has her father, Mr. Hill, visiting her for a few weeks from Inyokern. Her two brothers, Raymond and Glenn Hill, from Pomona, also Mr. Geo. M. Reed from Portland, Ore., spent Sunday with her.

Mrs. H. N. Webber, sister of Mrs. Wm. Warren, who has been spending about six weeks in California, and some time at the Warren home, left Friday morning for her home in Goldfield, Nev.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Devendorf, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Shupp, Jr., Dr. and Mrs. E. V. Rice, and Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Douglass will attend the masquerade at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hamlin Saturdey evening. Cards, dancing and music will fill the evening.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Covina Irrigating Company, principal place of business, Covina, Covina Township, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the directors, held on the second day of July, 1913, an assessment (No. 59) of 100 cents per share was levied upon the capital stock (as increased October 22nd, 1886) of the above named corporation, payable immediately to the secretary at the office of the company at Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 7th day of August, 1913, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on the 26th day of August, 1913, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of the company in Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with cost of advertising and expense of sale.

B. F. EDWARDS, Secretary.
Covina, Cal., July 2, 1913.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Troy Laundry of Covina, principal place of business, Covina, Los Angeles County, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that, at the meeting of the directors held on the 11th day of June, 1913, an assessment of $4.00 per share was levied upon the capital stock of the above-mentioned corporation, payable immediately to the secretary, at the office of the company, at the First National Bank of Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Any stock, upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 15th day of July, 1913, will be delinquent, and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on the 5th day of August, 1913, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of the company, in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with cost of advertising and expense of sale.

M. LEONHARDT, Secretary.
Covina, California, June 14th, 1913.
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Notice of Hearing on Petition for the Vacation and Abandonment of Sixth and Eighth Avenues in Rowland Road District.

Notice is hereby given that a petition signed by E. M. Haddox and nine others, praying for the vacation and abandonment of Sixth and Eighth Avenues in Rowland Road District, has been filed in the office of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, and that said petition will be heard by said Board of Supervisors on Monday, July 21st, 1913, at 10 o'clock a.m. at the office of said Board in the City of Los Angeles.

The roads proposed to be vacated and abandoned, as herein referred to are described as follows, to-wit:

That portion of Sixth Avenue lying between the southerly line of Lomitas Avenue, and the northerly line of Salt Lake Avenue, and that portion of Eighth Avenue lying between the southerly line of Central Avenue and the northerly line of Salt Lake avenue. All of said streets and portions of said streets being situate in that portion of the Rancho La Puente known as Tract No. 1343, as per map recorded in Book 20, pages 10 and 11 of Maps, of said Los Angeles county.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles, made June 25th, 1913.

H. J. LELANDE,
County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.
By A. M. McPherron, Deputy. 7-12

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